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December 19, 2002

TO: EACH SUPERVISOR

FROM: P. MICHAEL FREEMAN

RELEASE OF SUPERSCOOPERS

This is to inform your Honorable Board of my intent to release the SuperScoopers effective Friday, December 20, 2002.

Our contract with the Government of Quebec allows for the early release of the aircraft. Recent rainstorms and the future weather outlook enable the District to exercise this option.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me or have your staff contact Deputy Chief Michael Dyer at (323) 881-2370.

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